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NOTICE.

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JOHN A. WOLF.

Victoria, June 13, 1862.

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Victoria Coal & Lumber Co

OFFICE—CITY WHARF, FOOT OF YATES ST

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Surgeon and Accoucheur,

HAVING RECENTLY ARRIVED from England, begs to inform the public that he has commenced to practice in Victoria, and can be consulted at his Chambers, at the Star and Garter Hotel, Government street. au26 1m

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Graduate of the University of McGill College, Montreal, C. E.,

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Physician, Surgeon & Accoucheur

☞ Rooms and Residence at the Anglo-American Hotel, corner of Yates and Douglas streets, Victoria, V. I. au27 1m

CO-PARTNERSHIPS.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and firm of COHEN & BELASCO, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. A. Belasco withdrawing from the firm and Michael Cohen assuming all its liabilities.

All parties indebted to the late firm are requested to settle their accounts forthwith.

MICHAEL COHEN,
A. BELASCO.

Witness—D. W. HIGGINS.

☞ The business will be continued by me at the old stand, RED HOUSE, Yates street.

se4 1w MIKE COHEN.

Copartnership Notice.

WE HAVE THIS DAY TAKEN INTO partnership Mr. Frank J. Roscoe, and will continue to carry on our business in future under the style of FELLOWS & ROSCOE.

ARTHUR FELLOWS & CO.

Victoria, August 14, 1862. au15

NOTICE.

STICKEEN RIVER, August 8th, 1862.

NOTICE is hereby given that J. W. Tripp has not disposed of his interest in the Eureka Lime Company, situated on San Juan Island, nor empowered any one to do so, and that the said George Roberts and James F. Bybee, have no authority to dissolve the partnership of said Company. All their acts are illegal, and done without my consent or knowledge. And notice is hereby given that all persons receiving or commissioned to sell the lime from the Eureka Lime Co., are forbidden to pay to the said George Roberts or James F. Bybee more than two thirds of the whole proceeds received by them, or which may be in their hands, or due to the said Company, on or after the publication of this notice.

N. B.—Charles M. Shirell is my legal Agent to transact all business for the Eureka Lime Co.

Signed, J. W. TRIPP.

Witnesseth, SMITH BURR.

Dated the 8th day of August, 1862. au25 2w

(ADVERTISEMENT.)

TO THE EDITOR OF THE BRITISH COLONIST—SIR: In reference to the extraordinary notice which appears in your paper of this morning, signed by "J W. Tripp," and dated from Stickeen the 8th August, inst., I beg to state on behalf of Mr. James T. Bybee, my co-partner, and myself, that the partnership formerly existing between us and the said J. W. Tripp was legally dissolved, so far as respects the said J. W. Tripp, and on the following grounds, viz:

1st. That the said J. W. Tripp received certain moneys for lime, sold on account of the partnership, without accounting to his co-partners for the same,

2nd. That he neglected his duties in the Eureka Works in San Juan Isle, and in the early part of June last left the same altogether, without apprising me or my co-partner of his intention so to do, at the same time he took with him a quantity of tools and provisions, our property.

3rd. That he obtained goods at Victoria in the name of the firm without paying for them, and took the same with him for his own benefit; and that he has not since returned; my partner and self having been compelled to pay for such goods as improperly obtained by the said J. W. Tripp.

On these grounds counsel advised that a dissolution might legally be effected, and which has been done accordingly. Any further interference by or on the part of the said J. W. Tripp, by himself or Agent, will cause them to be dealt with according to law.

GEO. ROBERTS.

Government street, Victoria, August 25th, 1862.

Witness, ROBERT BISHOP au26 1m

E. STAMP & CO.,

Commission Merchants,

WHARF STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.,

Offer for sale on advantageous terms:

RUM—30 over proof;
WHISKY—Fine Old Scotch;
BRANDY—Different brands;
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SHERRY—In bulk;
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CLARET—Chateau la Rose;
CHAMPAGNE.

—ALSO—

PORTER—Byass' bottling;
" Hibbert's "
" Friend's "
" Marzetti's "
ALE—Friend's bottling "
" Bass' "
" Hibbert's "
" Byass' "
" Allsopp's, in bulk;
" Bass' "

—ALSO—

Crease' best London Ground Lead
Thornton's Soap, 18-lb boxes;
Duchesses Slates;
European Rope, all sizes;
Hemp Canvas, all numbers;
Indian Muskets, in good order;
Sporting Powder, coarse and fine;
Blankets for Indian Trade;
Dogfish Oil, etc., etc., etc au22 1m

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And other articles usually found in an English Chemist and Druggist's shop, and which he receives

By Direct Importation from London,

Being selected with great care expressly for his own business. au5-1m

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Victoria Office,

James D. Walker, Manager.
George Cruickshank, Accountant.

The business of the Victoria branch of this Bank will commence as soon as suitable premises can be obtained

CURRENT ACCOUNTS may then be opened for any amount, and every facility will be granted to Traders and others for the transaction of business.

DISCOUNTS AND ADVANCES—Approved bills will be discounted and advances made upon bills of lading (accompanied by Policies of Insurance) for goods shipped from Victoria or Great Britain to any part of the United Kingdom or the Colonies.

DRAFTS AND LETTERS OF CREDIT will be issued on Great Britain and the Colonies, also on New York and San Francisco, and Bills on these places will be purchased or sent for collection.

GOVERNMENT OR OTHER SECURITIES received for safe custody, and the interest thereon collected for account of constituents.

JAMES D. WALKER, Manager.

Victoria, 28th July, 1862. au29

ROYAL MAIL Steam Packet Company's Agency,

For British Columbia & Vancouver Island.

OFFICE, MACDONALD & CO., BANKERS,

Yates Street.

THE ATTENTION OF SHIPPERS and passengers is particularly directed to the superior facilities the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's Line affords for the speedy conveyance of Treasure, Goods and Passengers to and from England to British Columbia and Vancouver Island, in connection with the **Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Vessels and the Panama Railroad.**

The superiority of the accommodation and entertainment on board the Royal Mail Steamers, together with the time occupied on the passage between England and Aspinwall direct, being so much shorter than by any other route, and the moderate rate of passage money, render this Company's steamers the CHEAPEST AND MOST EXPEDITIOUS MEANS OF TRANSIT, for passengers or for the forwarding of Goods and Treasure from Aspinwall to Europe.

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au17-1m Agent.

MACDONALD & CO.,

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BANKERS,

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WILL BUY GOLD DUST, BULLION AND EXCHANGE.

Draw Drafts on San Francisco, California.
" " " Portland, Oregon.
" " " New York City.

RECEIVE DEPOSITS AND ISSUE CERTIFICATES of deposit. Parties in the interior may remit gold dust to us direct, which we will buy or have assayed, and allow the best market price. Owners can draw against proceeds or instruct us as to its disposition.

Advances made on gold dust shipped by us to the U. S. Mint at San Francisco for coinage.

BENJAMIN SCHLOSS, Victoria.
je13-6m FRANK LIVINGSTON, San Francisco.

Barnard's Express!

HITHERTO RUNNING BETWEEN VICTORIA, V. I., and LYTTON, B. C., will, on and after the 7th July next, be merged into the

British Columbia & Victoria Express Co.

E. J. BARNARD.

VICTORIA, V. I., 23d June, 1862.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

—AND—

Victoria EXPRESS CO.

(CARRYING HER MAJESTY'S MAILS.)

THE FIRST REGULAR WEEKLY EXPRESS to Cariboo will be dispatched from Victoria July 7th, leaving Douglas and Yale on the arrival of the Steamers at those points. The Express via Douglas and Lillooet will connect at Williams Lake with the Express via Yale and Lytton: and thence to Antler City, whence carriers will be dispatched to the various mining camps.

Relying on the support of a discerning public, the undersigned have spared no expense in their arrangements, nor will any effort be wanting on their part to render this the most safe and speedy means of conveyance to and from the mines

au24 E. J. BARNARD & CO.

Ballou's Express,

Connecting with Wells, Fargo & Co.'s at Victoria,

WILL ADVANCE FOR DUTIES ON GOODS passing in to British Columbia and, as usual, attend to the Custom House and Forwarding Business.

au19 W. T. BALLOU.

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Building Land at Nanaimo.

TO LET,

TWO LOTS OF LAND SITUATED IN the centre of the Town, on Front street, opposite Colonial School and Episcopal Church, and adjoining the site of the new Court House.

Apply to

se5 tf W. H. FRANKLYN, J. P., Nanaimo.

Money to Loan

ON GOOD SECURITY, IN SUMS TO suit. Apply to

JOHN J. COCHRANE,
se2 1m Government st.

Indian Reserve.

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE Indian Reserve having appointed the undersigned as agent for leasing the unoccupied portions of the above property, parties desirous of renting the same will please apply to

JOHN J. COCHRANE,
se2 1m Land Agent, Government street.

To Lease for 15 Years.

THE PROPRIETORS OF THE VICtoria Market having resolved to remove the Market Building and carry Broad street through the centre of the property for the purpose of leasing the same on easy terms, parties desirous of renting any part of the above will please apply at the office of

JOHN JAMES COCHRANE,
se21m Land Agent, Government street.

Livery Stable Business

FOR SALE.

THE PROPRIETOR HAVING URgent business calling him to England, is desirous of disposing of the Stock, Lease and Good Will of the same, on the most advantageous terms.

For further particulars apply to

W. CULVERWELL,
se3 2w Yates street.

To Rent.

THE FIREPROOF STORE ON WHARF street recently occupied by MARTIN BROS.

Apply to

JAMES WILCOX,
se2 tf Royal Hotel, Wharf street.

Farm for Lease.

HILLSIDE FARM, 1½ MILES FROM Victoria, with Barns and all necessary buildings and two commodious Dwelling House.

The Farm contains 1200 Acres, and will be let either entire or in sections, to suit the convenience of tenants. 200 Acres are enclosed and cultivated, about 65 Acres laid down in Timothy and 40 Acres in Pasture with Rye Grass and Timothy.

Stock and Crops may be taken at a valuation if early application be made.

5-ACRE LOTS along the Saanich Road for Lease on liberal terms.

HAY FOR SALE at the Farm.

For further particulars apply to Mr. DRAKE, 63 Government street, Victoria. au30

Press copy.

For Sale.

A COMMODIOUS DWELLING House situated on Blanchard street, with Garden well stocked with fruit trees and a well of excellent water. For particulars apply to

JOHN J. COCHRANE,
au22 Land Agent, Government street.

TO LET,

IN THE BRICK BUILDING RECENTLY erected by the late Mr. BELL, in Fort street, several LARGE ROOMS up stairs, admirably adapted for Offices. Can be seen on application to Mr. MARVIN, Hardware Store, underneath. au21

For Sale,

2 YOKE LARGE AMERICAN Oxen. For further particulars apply to

WALTON & BARNETT,
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au21 Yates street, next to Wells, Fargo & Co.

Farm for Sale.

A FARM OF 160 ACRES, situated in the South Saanich District, 15 miles from Victoria, and within three miles of the water, all cleared and partially fenced and under cultivation, will be sold cheap, on application to

J. REUFF,
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WITHIN THREE MILES OF TOWN, in the Victoria District, a tract of excellent Farming Land, in many places cleared and ready to plough, in quantities to suit and on favorable terms. For further particulars apply to

LEOPOLD LOWENBERG,
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au7

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A ONE-HALF INTEREST IN THIS property is now offered for sale to close a partnership. For particulars apply to G. B. WRIGHT, at Lillooet, B. C., or MORTIMER COOK, Lytton City. au31 tfd&w

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FOR THE LAST FOUR YEARS I have faithfully served the Public with the

Best and Cheapest

CLOTHING

Hats, Caps & Shirts,

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Yours, respectfully,

A. J. BRUNN,
Draper and Tailor.
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Iron, Steel and Hardware.

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HARDWARE—English and American, of all kinds.

N. B.—As he Imports all English Goods direct from the Makers, the advertiser is able to offer them at much less than they can be sold for when Imported from San Francisco. Blacksmiths in particular will find the prices of many articles required by them are lower than in San Francisco. au13 3m

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TO ARRIVE PER D. M. HALL, from San Francisco, five yoke large well-trained OXEN, with Wagons, Yokes, Chains, etc., complete

These Oxen came across the Plains and have been working in the Mountains; are in splendid condition and exceedingly tractable.

Apply to

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A SITUATION AS FIRST CLASS COOK, by a young man, in a Restaurant or Hotel.

Also, a female servant in a small family, who can cook and wash.

For further particulars apply to

WALTON & BARNETT,
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Wanted---A Barman.

ANY YOUNG MAN, OF GOOD CHARacter, able to deposit $150 as security, can be introduced to a good berth on application to ELLIOTT & CO., Lion Brewery, Victoria. se1 1w

WANTED,

A PERSON WHO CAN COMMAND from $1000 to $2000, to take an interest in a concern recently established for the manufacture of an article paying a large profit.

For particulars apply to

J. B. TIMMERMAN,
se2 1m Real Estate Agent, 83 Government st.

Bute Inlet Wagon Road.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, 100 ABLE bodied Men, to work at the Road at $40 per month and board, payable at the end of the term—$50 in "Bute Inlet Wagon Road Stock," and the balance cash. Passage to the Inlet and back free.

Apply at the office of A. R. GREEN, Secretary pro tem., Wharf street. au30

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THE SUBSCRIBER TAKES OCCASION to acquaint the inhabitants of Victoria and its vicinity that he is prepared to give Instruction on the Piano. Terms moderate.

Address G. EPNER,
At Messrs. A. Hoffman & Co. Yates st., Victoria.
au29 tf

NOTICE.

1. THE IMMIGRATION COMMITtee informs the public that an office has been opened in the old Philharmonic Hall, at the corner of Government and Broughton streets, for the purpose of communicating between employers and laborers, and of giving useful information to immigrants

2. Employers are requested to record at this office immediately the particulars of any employment which they may have to offer. They should state the description of work—the number of men wanted—the time for which they are likely to be employed, the wages offered, and where application should be made. A charge of a quarter of a dollar will be made for recording these particulars.

3. The names of applicants for employment will be recorded on payment of 25 cents, and such applicant will be recommended for work according to their probable fitness, in the order of their applications, which will be recorded in a book under the heads of skilled and unskilled laborers. On being engaged by an employer, the applicant's name will be scored out of the book, but can at any time be re entered as a fresh application, on payment of half the original fee.

4. The Committee will not be responsible for providing employment for any one.

5. Arrangements will be made without delay, by which it is hoped the Committee will be enabled to give useful information to immigrants who may wish to settle in the Island.

6. Subscriptions are invited from any persons desirous to assist in carrying out the above objects, and will be received at the office of the Committee and at the Bank of British North America.

By order of the Committee,

ROBERT BURNABY,
au8 Honorary Secretary.

Notice to the Public.

SAINSEVAIN'S WINE BITTERS; OR California Vermouth.—These Bitters are obtaining a wide-spread celebrity in all parts of the State. It is sufficient evidence of their great merit to observe the large quantities shipped by our principal Wine Merchants to every part of the country

Sainsevain, however, like all other manufacturers of new and valuable articles, has to contend with unscrupulous parties, who are introducing a spurious mixture purporting to be his Wine Bitters, which noxious compounds are put up in the same style of bottles, labels, etc., so as to pass for the Sainsevain brand. We call attention to this fact so that our citizens may be upon their guard, and that when they ask for Sainsevain's Bitters, see that they get them. As pure Wine is destined to drive from use all alcoholic decoctions, so these Bitters will soon take the place of the adulterated preparations which now flood our market. Those desiring a pure and agreeable tonic should try Sainsevain's Wine Bitters or California Vermouth.

We have appointed W. H. OLIVER, of Victoria, V. I., to be our Sole Agent for the British Possessions.

SAINSEVAIN BROS.,
je21 3m San Francisco, Cal.

REMOVAL.

WALTON & BARNETT

Have removed their office to

Yates street, Victoria, next to Wells Fargo & Co's.

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RENTS AND DEBTS COLLECTED.

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CAPITAL £2,000,000 STERLING.

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J. J. SOUTHGATE,
Wharf street.
Victoria, V. I., 7th August, 1862. au8 eod

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THE UNDERSIGNED INSURE UNDER open policies of

New York City Companies,

On Hulls, Treasure and Merchandise to and from all parts of the world.

—ALSO—

On the Inland Waters of California, Oregon, Washington Territory and British Columbia, against all risks, Fire included, on the most liberal terms.

ALL LOSSES PROMPTLY SETTLED by

JANSEN, BOND & CO.,
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Union Wharf,

VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND

And Battery street, San Francisco, California.
au11 tf

NOTICES.

TAKE WARNING.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY NOTIfied that they will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law if they take stone from Capt. H. Rhoder's Stone quarry, at Bellingham Bay, without permission.

W. B. GOODELL.
By order of Capt. RHODER.
Victoria, Sept. 4th, 1862 se5 1w*

Ship "Somas."

NEITHER THE OWNERS NOR CAPtain will be responsible for any debts contracted by the Crew of the above ship.

se4 E. STAMP & CO.

Consignees' Notice.

THE BRITISH BARK SOMAS, FROM London, via Valparaiso, will commence discharging at once after arriving at the Hudson Bay Company's Wharf. Consignees will please present Bills of Lading and pay freight at the office of

E. STAMP & CO.

☞ P. S.—Goods not taken away by five o'clock, evening, will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners. se4

Road Notice.

STATUTE LABOR ON ROADS, AS REquired by the Road Act, 1860, will be commenced in Victoria, Lake and Saanich Districts on Monday, Sept. 15, 1862. Overseers will be appointed by the Road Commissioners at their ensuing meeting at the Land Office, on Saturday, Sept. 6th, at 12 M.

JNO. TOD,
se3 Chairman.

Ship "Lockett."

Consignees' Notice.

CONSIGNEES OF THE ABOVE SHIP are notified that she will commence discharging at once, at the Hudson Bay Company's Wharf, and are requested to bring their Bills of Lading to the undersigned, and receive orders for their goods.

HENDERSON & BURNABY,
Wharf street.
Victoria, V. I., Sept. 2d, 1862. se3

Ship Lockett, from London.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by the Crew of the above vessel.

HENDERSON & BURNABY,
Wharf street.
Victoria, V. I., Sept. 2d. 1862. se3

NOTICE.

HAVING DULY AUTHORISED MR. Richard Brodrick to receive and deliver Freight at Esquimalt and Victoria from the steamers for which we are agents, consignees desirous of having their goods delivered at Esquimalt are requested to call at his office on Union Wharf and receive orders for the same.

ST. OURS & CO.
Victoria, V. I., 1st September, 1862. se2 1m

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DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.
Victoria, V. I., 1st September, 1862. se2 1m

NOTICE,

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE Estate of the late John Crittle, are requested to render their accounts, duly attested, to his widow, Harriet Crittle, at Esquimalt, on or before October first, next ensuing, for payment; and all persons to whom the estate of the late John Crittle is indebted, are requested to render their accounts for adjustment; and if not paid within that time they will be put in an Attorney's hands for collection. se2 1m

Removal.

Victoria Prices Current & Shipping List.

THE OFFICE OF THE ABOVE PAPER HAS this day been Removed to the Brick Building occupied by Messrs. MARVIN & CO., on Fort street.

August 26, 1862. au27 1m

NOTICE.

THE "VICTORIA PRICES CURRENT AND SHIPPING LIST" will in future be published regularly three times a month. From the present date until further notice the days of publication will be the 1st, 10th and 20th of every month. Due notice will be given of any alteration.

August 26, 1862. au27 1m

BRITISH STEAMER "THAMES."

NEITHER THE OWNERS NOR CAPtain will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above ship.

E. STAMP & CO.,
Wharf street.
Victoria, V. I., August 30, 1862. se1 1w

Consignees' Notice.

THE SCREW STEAMER "THAMES," from London, will commence discharging on Monday, September 1st, at the Hudson Bay Company's Wharf. Consignees will please present bills of lading and pay freight at the office of

E. STAMP & CO.,
Wharf street.

N. B.—Goods not taken away by 5 o'clock, p. m., will be stored at the risk and expense of the owner.

Victoria, V. I., August 30, 1862. se1 1w

NOTICE.

Victoria Gas Company Limited.

PARTIES REQUIRING TO BE SUPPLIED with Gas will please call and leave their names without delay at the Company's office, corner of Yates and Langley streets, so that proper arrangements may be made while the street Mains are being laid.

J. J. SOUTHGATE,
au21 Chairman.

LOST!

$20 REWARD. A PLAIN PINE Chest, about 30 inches long, and 18 or 20 inches deep and wide, the lid screwed down, and fastened with a padlock, and leather straps nailed on the ends for handles.

The said chest was taken from the Wharf at Esquimalt, on or about the 13th inst. It contains Wardrobe that will be of no use to any one but the owner.

The above reward will be paid to any one who will deliver the same to me at the Theatre.

L. F. BEATTY.
Victoria, Aug. 18, 1862. au19

Executors' Notice.

ESTATE OF JOHN D. CARROLL, Deceased. All persons having claims against the above Estate are requested to send them in, with proper vouchers, to the undersigned, at the store of the late J. D. Carroll, Yates street, within two months from this date; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to pay their liabilities without delay, at the place aforesaid.

Victoria, August 16th, 1862.

PATRICK EVERETT,
au19 J. EUGINE THOMAS.

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE AT SAN Francisco, I hereby authorize Mr. JULES RUEFF to collect debts due to me; and also to settle all claims against me.

J. FRIED.
Victoria, V. I., 14th Aug., 1862. au15

$1000 Reward.

THE ABOVE REWARD IS OFFERED to any person or persons who may arrest, and lead to conviction, the Murderer or Murderers of HERMAN LEWIN.

ISADORE BRAVERMAN,
au12 HEIMAN LEWIN.

A Reward of $25

IS HEREBY OFFERED FOR THE production and delivery to the undersigned of the original Deed of Conveyance from the Hudson's Bay Company to Pandelles Maviederos, of Town Lot No. 392, dated in or about the month of July 1858, and which Deed is now required for the purpose of Registration.

ROBERT BISHOP,
je26 3m Solicitor, Government st., Victoria.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Saturday Morning, Sept. 6, 1862.

TO ADVERTISERS.

All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued unti ordered out, and so charged.

JOB PRINTING.

☞ Book and Job Printing of every description neatly executed. Terms, cash on delivery of the work.

Civic Affairs.

Although our City Council does not move along as rapidly as an old and experienced body, or as we may fairly expect them to do in the course of six months, yet, at their last sitting the business commenced or in course of completion compares favorably with the work done at any one sitting of the Assembly. The report on nuisances, as a general thing, is good—many of its features deserving prompt attention, not the least of which is protection against filling up our harbor. There are one or two other subjects deserving of special notice. For instance, the road to the Springs ought to be improved immediately—in advance of the rainy season. Although we favor the speedy establishment of water-works, either in the whole or in part by the city, or by a chartered company, still that cannot be done at once, so as to obviate the necessity of a road to the springs. The latter has to be done whether there be a water company or not. If a company were established to-day and in operation, many parties in the outskirts would be dependant on the springs for water; or on hydrants in different parts of the city, as the company would be unable to lay pipes to accommodate all. It is, then, but natural, that the springs should be the place from which outside parties would get their supply of water; and, as a matter of course, a good road is wanted. But at the same time it is hoped that the organization of a water company, or the speedy establishment of water-works will be hastened by the Council. At present towns-people do not get as much pure water as they want, owing to the expense. That is a substantial reason for providing a plentiful supply cheaper. Another is, we want hydrants at every corner as a protection against fire. Without water in greater abundance than cisterns supply, our town will still be but partially insured against fire. To help on public works, we observe that Mr. Searby has brought forward a motion to tax real estate five-eighths of one per cent. at once, through a special act of the Assembly. Now we have no earthly objection to raising taxes; but when it is proposed to raise them from real estate, we want to know whether personal property—whether the non-propertied portion of our city is to bear an equal share? If Councillors are disposed to fall into the financial schemes of the Assembly and make realty bear an undue share of taxes, they will secure a very strong opposition from property-holders. We protest against piling the taxes on real property and exempting other classes who ought to bear an equal share of our civic burdens. Because a lot of silly people in the Assembly have set up such a precedent is no reason why the City Council should follow it. Let a fairer system of taxation be adopted.

News from Southern America.

From the Central American States we have not to chronicle the usual amount of intestine feuds. From Guatemala to Costa Rica all was quiet by the last accounts. The re-opening of the Nicaragua Transit Route will take place next month, when it is said the Moses Taylor will commence to run. In the meantime the works are being pushed forward energetically. Materials for the company have arrived in large quantities at San Juan, on the east coast. The failure of the corn crop this year in Nicaragua has caused great distress among the poorer classes; at the same time money is very scarce.

The news from New Granada presents the ordinary quota of petty quarrels. At Panama the Governor of the State published a manifesto declaring that General Mosquera, Provisional President of the Republic, had, through his agent, Col. Santa Coloma, violated the sovereign rights of the State. It seems that while the Governor Guardia was at Santiago, a proclamation was issued at the instance of Col. Santa Coloma deposing Guardia and substituting Gov. Dios. Gen. Mosquera, the President, has annulled the laws disqualifying foreigners from holding real estate in the Republic. Foreigners now become citizens upon their arrival in the country, and acquire all the rights, and are subject to all the duties of natives, with the exception of exemption from military service for twenty-one years, and freedom from all but local taxes. The government are endeavoring to form a company in London for encouraging immigration from Europe, principally for the cultivation of the valuable lands in Cauca ceded to the London bond-holders.

It appears likely that there will be some trouble between Equador and New Granada. A party of New Granadians having crossed the frontier in pursuit of a retreating force were ordered to retire, when they fired upon an Equadorian officer and wounded him. The New Granadians have refused to dismiss the colonel commanding the aggressors and the prefect of the district, so that Equador has determined to enforce that demand, and for that purpose has sent 1000 men into the Grenadian Province of Pasto.

Congress had commenced its preparatory session in Lima, Peru, on the 13th July. The President will present a law of general amnesty to political offenders, which will be sanctioned by Congress. A great deal of excitement existed in the debates with respect to the Mexican question. They contend that the Spanish-American Republics ought to close their ports to the French if the war is continued. Consuls have been sent to Mexico to watch the progress of affairs.

The German colony of Prozozo, in the wilds of Peru, have succeeded admirably.

All was quiet in Bolivia by the last accounts. The Government is now established in Cochabamboo. From Chile we have Valparaiso dates as late as the 2d July. There was a bill before Congress for the establishment of a National Bank by means of a public loan. According to the report of the Secretary of War the standing army was only 2,828 men, and the national militia 29,839 men in all. The decimal, metrical system of measurement has been adopted by the government, and is to come in force in all the ports 1st of January next. The Secretary of State, on being requested by the members of the House of Representatives to lay before Congress the papers and information relative to the course taken by the Chilean Government on the invasion of Mexico, informed them that instructions had been given to the Minister at Washington to confer with that Cabinet—and to act in concert with the other Spanish-American Ministers at that Capital. The Chilean Government had also sent a Minister to London with a protest showing the impropriety of such an intervention, to be laid before the Cabinets of England, France, and Spain.

Change of Ministry seems to be the order of the day in Brazil at present. The Caxais Ministry was defeated by a mere surprise on May 21, and a new one composed of liberals, and moderate conservatives, was immediately formed, under the leadership of Senor Zacharias Goeset Vasconcellos. It was not thought that it could last long, and we perceive by our last files that the Zacharias ministry has in its turn given place to another cabinet, with the Marquis Olinda for President of the Council. Brazil presents quite a contrast to all the South American republics. While all the latter have by turns been the scene of intestine struggles retarding their progress, Brazil has been quietly progressing in everything that tends to build up a great nation. Her trade and commerce have been steadily increasing. Her magnificent resources are rapidly developing through the extension of her railway system, and we perceive that she has determined that at the end of three years her mighty river the Amazon, and its tributaries, shall be thrown open to the commerce of the world.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MINERS EXCHANGE,

WADDINGTON ALLEY, VICTORIA, V. I.

JOSEPH M. MORRAIS TAKES PLEASURE in announcing to his old customers and friends, and as many new ones as many choose to call, that he will re-open his Hotel, at the old stand, on

SATURDAY, Sept. 6th, 1862,

Meals, at all hours, served in the best style.

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VICTORIA THEATRE.

ON SATURDAY EVENING, Sept. 6th,

Will be presented, the beautiful Drama of

THE SOMNAMBULIST:

Or, the White Phantom.

Col De Rosambert.....Mr. L. F. BEATTY
Edmund Beauchamp.....Mr. R. CRANSHAW
Colin de Trop.....Mr. JOHN WOOD
Baillie of the Village.....Mr. POTTER
Ernestine.....Miss LULU SWEET
Gertrude.....Miss CARRIE HOWARD
Dame Michaud.....Mrs. E. SWEET

During the piece, GRAND RUSTIC DANCE, by the Characters.

FAVORITE BALLAD. .....Miss C. DEAN
BALLAD.....Mr. R. CRANSHAW

To conclude with Planche's Comedy, in 3 Acts, entitled

The Pride of the Market.

Isadore Farine.....Mr. JOHN WOOD
Marquis de Volange.....Mr. R. CRANSHAW
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Chevalier Belrive.....Mr. P THAYER
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Louise de Volange.....Miss CARRIE HOWARD
Javotte.....Miss CLARA DEAN

PRICES—$1 50 and $1 00. se5

British Columbia.

PROCLAMATION.

No. 3, A.D. 1862.

By His Excellency JAMES DOUGLAS, Companion of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of British Columbia and its Dependencies, Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c.

PREAMBLE.

WHEREAS, under and by virtue of an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the session of Parliament held in the 21st and 22d years of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, entitled an Act to provide for the "Government of British Columbia," and by a Commission under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, I, JAMES DOUGLAS, have been appointed Governor of the said colony, and have been authorized by Proclamation under the Public Seal of the said colony, to make laws, institutions and ordinances, for the peace, order and good government of the same.

And whereas a petition has been received from the inhabitants of Lillooet and the neighboring districts, praying for the formation of a road from Lillooet to the Northern agricultural and mining districts of the colony, and that Tolls should be imposed to defray the expense of constructing, maintaining and improving a continuous line of communication from Lillooet with the interior.

And whereas by an agreement dated the sixteenth day of August, A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-Two, and made between Richard Clement Moody, a Colonel in the Royal Engineers, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, acting on behalf of the Government of the colony of British Columbia of the first part, and Gustavus Blin Wright, of Lillooet, in the said colony, Merchant, of the other part.

The said Gustavus Blin Wright contracted to construct and complete a certain Wagon Road from a certain point at or near Lillooet on the Fraser River, along a certain route to a point to be fixed on the same River at or near Alexandria, upon and subject to the several terms, payments, conditions and stipulations in the said agreement more particularly set forth, and by the said agreement it was among other things provided that in part consideration of the due completion of the first fifty miles of the said Wagon Road, Tolls should be imposed in manner hereinafter mentioned on goods, chattels and cattle using any part of the said road, and that during the construction of the said Wagon Road the said Government should make advances to the said Gustavus Blin Wright by way of loan, re-payable out of Tolls, and at the rate, in the manner and subject as in the said agreement, is more particularly mentioned.

And whereas the first fifty miles of the said road have been duly completed, and the sum of three thousand pounds has already been paid by the said Richard Clement Moody to the said Gustavus Blin Wright, on account of advances as aforesaid thereon.

And whereas it is expedient for the cheaper transport of merchandize and provisions, and facilitating the operations of commerce and the development of the country, that such reproductive expenditure should be incurred, and that the proposed road from Lillooet to Alexandria should be executed as speedily as possible.

Now know ye, that I do hereby declare, proclaim, and enact as follows:

Creates a Toll of one half-penny per lb. on goods, and one shilling per head on cattle.

I. From and after the first day of September, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-Two, there shall be levied, assessed, and collected from all persons whatsoever, the sums following (that is to say) for every pound avoirdupois of goods, merchandize, stores, productions and chattels, other than those belonging to or employed in the service of the Government of British Columbia, taken or carried along (but not across) any part of the said road between Lillooet and Alexandria, the sum of One half-penny sterling; and for every head of cattle of every description passing on or along (but not across) any part of the said road, the sum of one shilling sterling.

Exemptions.

II. Provided that such Tolls shall not be demanded on goods, chattels, or cattle simply carried or passing across any part of such road, or belonging to or employed in the service of the Government, or *bona fide* used in the construction of the said road upon proof satisfactory to the person for the time being collecting the said Tolls, of such use, or on manure or machinery, for mill or manufacturing, or steamboat purposes, passing or carried along any part of the said road, on goods, chattles, or cattle passing or carried along any part of the said road, within a circle of two miles, to be defined by the said Chief Commissioner, around any existent or future town in or immediately adjoining the line of the said road.

Toll on articles not by weight.

III. Provided, nevertheless, that such goods, chattles, articles, and things not hereinbefore exempt from Toll, as from their construction or otherwise cannot be estimated by weight, shall be subjected to such Tolls, to be collected and recoverable with the same penalties as Tolls under this Act, as shall from time to time be prescribed by notice in that behalf.

Power to Chief Commissioner to regulate weights carried and width of tires.

IV. Provided also that it shall be lawful for the said Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works by notice at any time or times hereafter to regulate the weight which shall be allowed on any carts, wagons, carriages, or other vehicles using any part of the said road, having regard to the width of the tire, and also to regulate the width of the tire to be used on the said road.

Power to reduce and vary Tolls with consent of Contractors.

V. It shall be lawful for the said Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, with the consent in writing of the said Gustavus Blin Wright, his executors, administrators, or assigns, until redemption or forfeiture hereinafter referred to, and afterwards without such consent, by notice from time to time or at any time to reduce, vary, or re-establish all or any of the said Tolls to any sums not exceeding the said rates, and for such periods as shall for the time being or from time to time be specified in that behalf in any such notice.

Collection of Tolls.

VI. Until the lien of the said Government in the said Tolls is fully paid and satisfied, all Tolls levied under the provisions of this Act shall be collected by such person or persons, and with and in such forms and manner subject to the provisions of this Act as the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the time being shall from time to time in that behalf direct.

Until repayment of Government advances, three-fourths of Tolls to go to repay Government advances.

VII. Until the Government lien aforesaid is fully paid and satisfied by the said Gustavus Blin Wright, his executors, administrators, or assigns, whether by collection of Tolls, repayment of advances, redemption, resumption, or forfeiture, three-fourth parts of all such Tolls, less the cost of collecting the same, shall be retained by the said Government, and paid and applied to and for the uses, and in the manner in the said agreement of the 16th day of August, A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-Two, in that behalf provided.

The remaining one-fourth to be paid to Contractor subject to payment of outgoings of road.

VIII. The remaining one-fourth part of all the said Tolls, less the cost of collecting the same, shall by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, or his Agent, be paid to the said Gustavus Blin Wright, his executors, administrators, or assigns, by regular monthly payments, on the first day of every month during the period of five years from the first day of September A. D. 1862, or until the redemption or forfeiture of the said Road and Tolls under the provisions in that behalf in the said agreement of the 16th day of August contained, subject, nevertheless, to the expenditure of such portion thereof for such repairs, deviations, and improvements of the said road, by the said Gustavus Blin Wright, his executors, administrators, or assigns, and for such Government inspections as the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the time being of the said colony, or his Agent, shall from time to time in that behalf direct, in the manner in the said agreement of the 16th day of August, A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-Two, in that behalf provided.

After repayment of advances, &c., all Tolls to be paid to Contractor for his own use, subject to repairs and outgoings.

IX. When, and so soon as, the whole charge of the said Government upon the said Tolls, whether for advances, loans, or otherwise, have been fully paid and satisfied from Tolls collected, repayment of advances, redemption, resumption, or forfeiture, the whole of the Tolls to be thenceforth levied, assessed, and collected under the provisions of this Act, shall be levied, assessed, and collected by, and for the benefit of, the said Gustavus Blin Wright, his executors, administrators, and assigns, for such portion of the term of five years, from the first day of September, A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-Two, as shall then be subsisting and undetermined under any of the provisions and conditions of the said agreement, subject, nevertheless, to the payment thereout by the said Gustavus Blin Wright, his executors, administrators, or assigns: and when, and so often as, the same shall be required by the said Chief Commissioner, of the cost of all repairs, deviations, inspections, and improvements, hereinbefore mentioned or referred to.

Power of redemption.

X. Provided always, and notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, that it shall be lawful for the said Government, at any time within eighteen calendar months from the date of this Act, to redeem the said road and the privileges hereby conferred, or to be conferred, at a price not less than Thirty-two thousand Pounds sterling, nor greater than Forty-two thousand Pounds sterling, to be fixed by such one Arbitrator as shall be mutually agreed upon by the said Gustavus Blin Wright, his executors, administrators, or assigns, and the said Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the time being, within one calendar month after the publication of any notice, or by order of the said Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works; and in case they cannot agree upon such single Arbitration, or in case, from any cause whatsoever, and whether before or after the appointment of such single Arbitrator, at any time during the progress of the proposed arbitration, or preliminaries thereto, there shall appear to the said Chief Commissioner to be any delay or difficulty in carrying on the same, then, at such price between the said limits as the said Chief Commissioner shall for the time being, within three calendar months of the said notice, specify by any other notice, such decision to be final in all respects, at law and in equity, and the amount, or price, so finally fixed, less the amount then remaining due and unpaid to the said Government on account of the advances and expenses aforesaid, shall, within two calendar months next after such decision, be paid over by the said Chief Commissioner, upon demand, at the Office of Lands and Works, New Westminster, to the said Gustavus Blin Wright, his executors, administrators, or assigns; and such payment, or in default of such demand, a tender of such sum shall be deemed a discharge in full of all demands by the said Gustavus Blin Wright, his executors, administrators, or assigns, and the loans so guaranteed by Government, and advances then still due from the said Gustavus Blin Wright, his executors, administrators, or assigns, shall then, as between him, or them, and the said Government, be considered as paid and cancelled, and any liability then connected therewith shall be borne by the said Government.

Saving of certain existing and future rights.

XI. Nothing herein contained shall be construed in any way to entitle the said Gustavus Blin Wright, his executors, administrators, or assigns, to infringe any existing private rights, or any existing or future public rights.

Penalty upon evasion of Tolls.

XII. Any person, either directly or indirectly, wilfully evading, or attempting to evade, the payment of any of the duties, or Tolls, hereby imposed, shall, for every such offence, be fined treble the amount of Toll, or any sum not exceeding one hundred pounds, with or without imprisonment, for any term not exceeding three months, at the discretion of the Magistrate.

How recoverable.

XIII. Any penalty under this Act may be recovered before any Magistrate in British Columbia, in a summary way, and such fines shall be paid into the Treasury of the said colony as part of the general Revenue.

Toll permit.

XIV. Every person liable to the payment of Tolls under the provisions of this Act, shall obtain a Toll permit from the person to whom such Tolls shall be payable, and who is hereby directed to issue the same, in such forms, subject to the provisions of this Act, as the said Chief Commissioner shall from time to time in that behalf direct.

Production of Toll permit.

XV. Every such permit shall be produced upon every demand, to any person for the time being authorized under this Act to collect Tolls on any part of the said road, and shall contain a true statement of names of owners, or consignees, and addresses, and destination, number, marks, weights and contents of every package containing goods or merchandize, liable hereunder to the payment of Toll, and similar particulars so far as practicable as to cattle and other dutiable articles.

Notice.

XVI. Every notice under the hand of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the said colony for the time being, or other officer for the time being, appointed in that behalf by the said Governor, and published in the Government Gazette, or in any newspaper circulating in the said colony, shall in every case where notice is required under the provisions of this Act, be deemed to be good and sufficient notice for all purposes whatsoever, both at law and in equity.

Short Title.

XVII. This Act may be cited for all purposes as "The Lillooet-Alexandria Road Toll Act, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two."

L. S. Issued under the Public Seal of the said colony, at Victoria, Vancouver Island, this eighteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and in the twenty-sixth year of Her Majesty's reign, by me,

JAMES DOUGLAS.

By His Excellency's command.

WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

NOTICE.

To Carpenters and Builders.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNtil THURSDAY, the 11th inst, for the Erection of Three Stores on the corner of Fort and Langley streets. The Drawings and Specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

WRIGHT & SANDERS,
Architects,
Corner Yates and Langley streets.

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20 CRATES

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HENRY NATHAN

OFFERS FOR SALE,

Ex "Somass," from London,

BLANKETS, 2¼ and 3 point, blue;
2½ and 3 do black;
2¼ and 3 do scarlet;
2½ and 3 do white.

CLOTHING; Suits Jackets, Black and Fancy, Trowsers, Vests, Tunics, etc.

LADIES' BL'K AND QUILTED PETTICOATS.

Ex "Thames," from London.

DRAPERY; Extra quality 4-4 fancy and plain all Wool Shawls, French wove Long shawls, etc.; Gold Pins, Gold Braid, Tassels, Girdles, Rosettes, Silk and Velvet Trimmings, Madder Printed Handkerchefs, Bl'k Silk Ribbon Velvets.

Gentlemen and Ladies' Side Saddles, extra quality; Bridles, Bits, Whips, Curb Chains, etc., etc.

Liquors.

Martell's Pale Brandy, in ¼ casks;
Hennessey's Pale Brandy, in ¼ casks;
Jamaica Rum, 30 per cent O. P.;
Red Cases Geneva, J D K Z brand;
Champagne, in one doz cases;
Duff Gordon's Pale Sherry, in ¼ casks;
Duff Gordon's Golden Sherry, in ¼ casks;
Port Wine, bottled in Oporto, extra quality;
Claret, in one doz. cases,
Ale, Allsopp's Pale;
Muirs' Scotch;
Marzetti's;
Scotch Whisky, in 1 doz. cases;
Ginger Brandy, do do
Old Tom, Scotch Whisky, Liqueurs, Bitters, &c., &c.

GRIMBLE'S NO. 22 MALT VINEGAR,

Candles, Pickles, &c., &c.

A choice assortment Men's Cotton, Merino and Fancy Half Hose.
Scarlet and Blue West of England Cloths;
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Blue, Green, Red, Black and Brown Gingham Umbrellas;
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Buckwheat,	Tea, US in diamond,
Hominy,	China Sugar,
Corn Meal,	Coffee,
Oat Meal,	Chicken Feed,
Split Peas,	Potatoes,
Currants,	Salt,
Soda,	Vinegar,
Blue,	Soaps,
Pepper	Mustard,
Corn Starch,	Starch,
Oil,	Blacking,
Syrups,	Lard,
Hams,	Cheese.

Ex "Onward."

Java and Manilla Coffee;
Batavia Rice, equal to Car.;
Mauritius Sugar;
Tea, in small boxes;
East India Currie Powders;
Almonds, raisins, Olives, Candles, &c., &c.

FOR SALE.

40 DOZ. BEST PORT, 1 doz. cases;
325 doz. De Kuyper's Holland, 1 doz. cases;
100 doz. Burton Brewery Ale, pints and quarts;
25 doz. Chablis;
20 doz. St. Julien;
20 doz. Leoville;
50 doz. Dunlop's best Scotch Whisky.

Apply to Capt. NAUNTON, on board the Somass.
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AUCTION SALES.

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THIS DAY,

SATURDAY, Sept. 6th, 1862,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

J. A. McCREA,

WILL SELL

AT HIS SALESROOM ON WHARF STREET.

Furniture.

Beds and Bedding, Tables, Chairs, &c., &c.;

Cooking Stove and Utensils.

—ALSO—

Watches and Jewelry.

Gold and Silver Watches;
Plated Watches;
Gold and Silver Pencils;
Gilt Setts, &c., &c. se5

EX STEAMER

"THAMES!"

LANGLEY BRO'S.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED,

FROM LONDON DIRECT,

A CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF

DRUGS,

PERFUMERY

—AND—

FANCY TOILET ARTICLES!

VIZ:

From F. S. Cleaver:

HONEY SOAP,
HONEY AND ALMOND SOAP,
GLYCERINE SOAP,
BROWN WINDSOR SOAP,
SUNFLOWER SOAP,
TRANSPARENT SOAP,
CASTOR OIL POMADE,
ESSENCE FRANGIPANIA,
ESSENCE JOCKEY CLUB,
KISS QUICK,
BLUE AND OPAL JUG ESSENCES.

From Eugene Rimmel:

DRESSING CASES,
FANCY TOILET BOXES,
SANITARY SPONGES,
FRUIT SOAPS,
VAPORIZERS,

From Henry Turner & Co:

INFANT'S FOOD,
MEDICINE SPOONS.
PATENT FOUNTAIN FEEDING BOTTLES, &c.

From Geo. Curling & Co.:

CURLING'S COD LIVER OIL,
CURLING'S COLD PRESSED CASTOR OIL,
CURLING'S CITRATE OF MAGNESIA,
CURLING'S SEIDLITZ POWDERS.

—ALSO—

A large Invoice of

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS AND OINTMENT

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F. J. De St. Ours,

Commission Merchant

—AND—

SHIPPING AGENT,

St. Our's Wharf, Victoria, V. I.

Always on hand and for sale in lots to suit,

FLOUR,	PEAS,
BARLEY,	OATS,
HAY,	OREGON HAMS,
OREGON BACON,	Etc., etc., etc.

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AT THE

SPRINGS, VICTORIA.

ALFRED ELLIOTT & Co.,

ALE AND PORTER BREWERS,

HAVE PLEASURE IN ANNOUNCING that they are prepared to supply

Treble X Family Ales at $2 per Dozen,
Single X " at $1 50 "

To be delivered to any part of the city.

The above can be had, if preferred, in casks of five gallons and upwards, and are manufactured solely from the finest Malt and Hops. The Firm having had many years experience in some of the largest Breweries in England, can guarantee them to be equal to any Imported Liquors.

Terms, CASH, on delivery. Wholesale Buyers liberally dealt with.

Orders received at the Brewery, or by favor, at Mr. BAYLEY'S grocery store, Yates street.

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Landing, ex Thames:

GERMAN MATCHES;
GLUE—Best German;
WRAPPING PAPER Straw);
SEGARS;
WAILUA (Sandwich Island) CHEESE.

All of which are offered at low prices.

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P. M. BACKUS,

Auctioneer and Commission Merchant.

SALESROOM,

No. 6, Commercial Row, Wharf street,

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For Account Underwriters

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P. M. BACKUS

WILL SELL

THIS DAY,

Saturday, Sept. 6th, 1862,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

AT SALESROOM,

J. C. & Co., V. below—

15 CHESTS TEA,

EX STEAMER THAMES,

Damaged on voyage of Importation.

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—ALSO—

14 bbls. MALT VINEGAR.

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Billiard Tables.

TWO PHELAN & HUGHES'

Best San Francisco make, Wood Bed, entirely New

Billiard Tables,

With Balls, Cues and Racks,

Complete, now in Store and for sale at a bargain.

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I AM APPOINTED THE AGENT FOR Vancouver Island and British Columbia of the above

BILLIARD TABLES,

And am authorized to sell at

SAN FRANCISCO PRICES,

Freight and Charges added.

au18 1mo P. M. BACKUS.

CROCKERY,

GLASSWARE,

French China.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF ABOVE goods constantly in Store and for sale at lowest rates.

Clocks,

—OF THE—

New Haven Clock Co.'s Manufacture

(FORMERLY THE JEROME CO

For which we are

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516 Sansome street, corner of Merchant, 516,

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Cor. Wadddington alley and Yates st.,

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THE BEST OF

Liquors, Ales, Wines & Cigars

dispensed at this house.

HOT LUNCH DAILY.

OYSTERS IN EVERY STYLE

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Merchandise and Money Brokers,

OFFICE ON FORT STREET,

Above Marvin & Co.'s Hardware Store.

Loans Negotiated.

Victoria, V. I., August 26, 1862. au27 tf

Now Landing, ex "Thames,"

THE FOLLOWING

NEW GOODS:

PRINTED CALICOES AND CAMbrics, Mantles, Children's Mantle Jackets, Challis, Flounced Dresses, Linen and Union Diapers, Toweling, Damask Table Cloths, Cambric Handkerchiefs, Shawls, Gambroon, (a material for Boy's Clothing) Ribbons, Gloves, Hose, Socks, &c.

Ladies' Reticules, Leather Bags, Princess Royal Companions, Purses, &c.

—ALSO—

Gent's and Boys' Felt Hat, Caps, Ties, Braces, Half Hose, and Shirt Collars, Crimean and Grey Serge Shirts.

The above goods will be sold at reasonable rates for cash. T. WILSON,

Government street,

se1 2w2p Nearly opposite the Theatre.

Dancing Academy.

MRS. NUNN TAKES PLEASURE IN informing the citizens of Victoria and its vicinity that she will open a Dancing Academy in Moore's Hall, on Wednesday, May 15th, and solicits the favor of pupils. Parents who may wish their children to receive instruction in dancing may feel assured that every attention will be given to secure their entire proficiency.

TERMS OF TUITION—$1 per month, each, for two pupils from one family, and $5 per month for a single pupil.

There will be eight lessons every month, given on Wednesdays and Saturdays, from 3 P. M. to 6 P. M.

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CAUTION.

A ROBBERY OF NOTES OF the Bank of British North America has been committed on my premises, the numbers of which are known to me and for the recovery whereof a Reward has been offered, I therefore warn all persons from taking any such Notes, as I shall take legal proceedings for the protection of my rights.

au23 LD. LOWENBERG.

DONALD MACRAE,

Wholesale and Commission Merchant,

AND AUCTIONEER,

WHARF STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.,

(Opposite the Post Office.)

☞ Cash Advances on Consignments for PRIVATE OR AUCTION SALES.

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LUMBER! LUMBER!

100,000 FEET ASSORTED PUGET Sound Lumber.

For sale, cheap for Cash, by

Victoria Coal & Lumber Co.,

au 19 2p1 n City Wharf.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Saturday Morning, Sept. 6, 1862.

BUSY SCENES.—Yesterday the water front presented an animated appearance. At the Hudson Bay Company's wharf the ship Somass, bark W. B. Scranton, and brig W. D. Rice, were discharging cargo; anchored about thirty yards from the same wharf was the ship Lockett, engaged in transferring her cargo to lighters. At St. Ours', the barks D. M. Hall and Ocean Bird were lying—the former discharging and the latter preparing to do so. Truckmen were engaged in wheeling the packages to the storehouses or drays, and draymen in turn were employed in carting the same to their several places of deposit. At the Union Wharf the hands of the schooner W. L. Richardson were busied in receiving cargo intended for San Francisco. Probably, all told, not less than 150 white men were yesterday employed in various capacities at our wharves, who, had the vessels not arrived, would have remained idle. At Esquimalt the ship Iconium discharged her freight of live stock. Vancouver Island never saw such lively times before; and everybody able and anxious to work is hard at it.

FORTIFYING ESQUIMALT HARBOR.—The work of fortifying Esquimalt harbor has just been commenced. Ten or twelve large guns have been landed from the Bacchante on Hospital Point, where a fifty-gun battery will be erected. Two of these guns are 68-pounders, and the others are long 32's or broadside guns. When the Topaze returns she will bring 15 more large barkers for the projected battery, which will be erected on Hospital Point—an admirable location for defensive purposes. In a week or ten days the Naval Hospital will be removed to the opposite side of the harbor, where the barracks now are. It is intended that two storehouses, each 37 x 75 feet, shall be erected from the material intended for the Sanitorium.

FINE APPLES.—We were yesterday shown by A. C. Anderson, Esq., a sample of apples of the species known as "red June," plucked from a tree in his garden of only two years' growth. The apples are large, for the kind, and as palatable as any we remember to have tasted elsewhere. Most of the young orchards on this Island are doing well, and after this season very little fruit will be imported rom Oregon or California;—in fact, in two year's time we expect a surplus.

BEANS.—The Somass was yesterday engaged in landing the 233 tons of beans brought by her from Chili—sufficient to supply the market for a twelve month, at least. The Scranton brought back a quantity of beans shipped from here to San Francisco by a trader, in the expectation of obtaining a high price, but on their arrival there beans had declined, and the sacks in question were not even taken from the vessel.

SCOTTISH NATIONAL MEMORIAL.—John J. Cochrane, Esq., of this city, has been requested to receive subscriptions in aid of the erection of a Scottish National Memorial to H. R. H. the late Prince Consort. The co-operation of Scotchmen residing in these colonies is earnestly requested by the Edinburgh Committee, and the call will, we trust, be heartily responded to.

IN THE HARBOR.—The following named sea-going vessels were in the harbor yesterday: Steamers Beaver, Thames, Emily Harris and Caledonia; ships Lockett and Somas; barks W. B. Scranton, Ocean Bird and D. M. Hall; brigs W. D. Rice and Cadboro; schooner W. L. Richardson. The ship Iconium was at Esquimalt.

ACQUITTED.—Go-home, an Indian indicted for choking another Indian to death, was yesterday acquitted in the Court of Assizes. A "chum" of Go-home's, indicted for the same crime, had a *nolle pros.* entered in his case.

ON THE SPIT.—The bark Ocean Bird, in entering the harbor yesterday morning without a pilot, struck the sand-spit where she remained until floated off by the tide. No damage was sustained.

AT ESQUIMALT.—It was the merchant ship Iconium, and not the war vessel Clio, which arrived at Esquimalt with live stock on Thursday night. She comes to Pickett & Co.

UP AT LONDON.—On the 15th July at London, England, the steamship Robert Lowe, and clippers Jasper, Julia, and frigate Bird, were up for Vancouver Island.

THE THEATRE.—This evening "The Somnambulist" and the "Pride of the Market" will be performed, together with songs, ballads and dances.

THE TOWN COUNCIL.—It is believed that this body will hold but one regular meeting in each week, on Monday evenings, commencing at 7 o'clock.

☞ The bark True Briton, with spars from Barclay Sound, has arrived at Valparaiso.

ADJOURNED.—The Court of Assizes has been adjourned for the term and the jurors discharged.

MINER'S EXCHANGE.—This popular restaurant and hotel on Waddington Alley will be re-opened to-day.

☞ The Eliza Anderson will leave for the Sound at 7 o'clock this morning.

TOADS IN ROCKS.—There is much reason to doubt that toads have ever been found alive in the heart of blocks of stone, hermetically closed. They may have sometimes crept in through chinks and crannies and have continued alive for a comparatively long period; but the many stories told of their discovery in the solid and undisturbed strata of our earth will not bear examination. To a geologist the thing is simply impossible; the toad belonging to one age, and the rock to another, separated from it by millions of years. The toad, for example, of our secondary periods—the layrinthodons of the Crystal Palace restorations—were vastly unlike those of our degenerate days, and experiments have shown that, so far from being able to sustain life for ages, this reptile dies, slowly indeed, but surely in a few months, if imbured in the manner referred to by your correspondent, who may find the subject very fairly discussed in White,s *Natural History of Selborne*, edited by Captain Thos. Brown, Edingburg, 1833, note to Letter XXII.—*Notes and Queries.*

Card from Constable Gough.

NANAIMO, Sept. 1st. 1862.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—In reply to a statement made by your correspondent "Justice, in your issue of the 12th ult. viz: that I had the prisoner Nelson employed at my house sharpening the tools that had formerly belonged to him, &c., I have to say that such statement is totally false, and I challenge the anonymous writer to prove the contrary. Whatever my failings or shortcomings may be in other respects, honesty of purpose and straightforward dealing shall ever characterize both the public and private conduct of

Your obedient servant,
EDWIN GOUGH.

The Butchers an Ungodly Set.

VICTORIA, Sept. 5, 1862.

EDITER COLONIST:—You would do a Great Service to the Christian public of Victoria By terning your attention to that disagracefull habbit indulged in By the Butchers of this towne in Keeping there place of Business open on Sunday until half past 10 o'clock it is Shoking for anny Chrisanized or rather Sivelsed comunity to Witnes Such Gross wikedness in there midest and more especially Now when one is at there head whom we must call father and rulling the treade of the taown he Surley will Show a Good exampll by Closing his place of Busness on Sunday first I would Beg to recmend them that one of old has Said remember the Sabbath day to Keepe it holy & E. T. C. but if the will not do it for the Sake of him who is lord of all the earth and to whome all things belong even the cattle of a thousned hills the Should do it for ther owen sake it would also Give them health of bodey and Viger of mind to follow with diligance the Busness throughout the week and it would also Give them a oppertunity of attending the house of God to here preched Christe and him Crusified and to teast of that fountin of living waters of which if a man dirinketh he shall never dye Dear Sir you will pleas Give this a place in your valuable paper and my God Grant onto you the richest of heavens Blessings I am yours rspty

A FRIEND.

Letter from Fort Alexandria.

FORT ALEXANDRIA, August 13, 1862.

DEAR * * * * We have arrived here to-day, after leaving our horses in the Bella Coola valley, as we found Slide No. 2 five miles long, and quite impassable. Great Slide at head of valley is barely passable for foot passengers. After arriving at the top of this Slide an undulating country commences, and the Indian trail passes along the ridges of various hills in an ESE direction, and 40 miles brings us to the great precipice, almost impassable also. We then proceed over a country covered with fallen timber and various swamps, for about 80 miles. The swamps are barely passable for foot passengers, and then there is about thirty miles of as rough road as need be found in the world—over rock, flint, and granite. The country is barren in the extreme; and I may say that not an acre of cultivable land exists in these regions. So the Indians say whenever we meet them. They tell us that all is the same, pointing north and east, and that in a northerly direction the swamps are impenetrable and too vast for Indians even to travel over them. Pantza we arrived at about 6 days from the valley of Bella Coola, and here we plainly saw the gap, in a southerly direction of the Bute Inlet Route. About this region of Pantza there is bunchgrass extending over about 20 miles of road. The fearfully extraordinary stories told about this route sound somewhat ridiculous to the traveler as he passes over the country about which so much has been made. The Bella Coola Valley, in its present state, is the only part of the road over which goods can be transported, and that must be done by water or pack Indians; otherwise, horses being used for the purpose, will be ruined. I believe that a trail may be made to Alexandria at a cost of from ten to fifteen thousand pounds sterling, and not short of the £15,000 before it is in good passable order. The distance from head of Slide to Alexandria is 220 miles. We hear tales of men making this distance in 6 days, and were told the same story before we left Bella Coola Valley, but fortunately did not give heed to the statements we obtained, or we might have been short of provisions before our journey was half over.

I have only to add that a route may be made with money, and as cheaply perhaps as through the Fraser district; but can the necessary capital be found to ensure the immediate execution of this work? and if so, what harbor is there? This I leave for nautical men to answer. The mud flat at the head of the harbor of Bentinck Arm is three quarters of a mile long, and then the tide covers the land for half a league more, and the river is not navigable up any portion of the Bella Coola Valley for small steamers. The water is very shallow, and the bed is full of immense blocks of granite, and the bends too short for a steamer to turn in. This I am informed of by competent judges.

These are the simple facts regarding this route, and I write them in a great hurry; therefore I have not time to give a more detailed account of the route, but be assured of this—that neither this year or next will the route be made. The expense is too great in a barren and unproductive country to warrant it, and the route (the old Indian trail) tending southerly instead of northerly, is a great disadvantage, you will observe, forming a triangle between the Slide and Alexandria.

We left Mr. Hood in the valley with his horses, which he brought up by Labouchere. I must now say adieu. We go to the mining region from this place in a fortnight, to have a look round, and then to come home by Lillooet and Fort Hope.

Yours, *faithfully*, G. F. F.

P. S.—We have met some men who have been induced to go to Bella Coola in hopes of getting work, and they had only provisioned themselves for 5 or 6 days, on account of misrepresentations made to them, by interested parties. It is supposed they are going to be starved, and to obviate such misfortunes, a notice will be put up here of the real distance.

TRASH OF ARMY CHAPLAINS.—A Philadelphia correspondent of a New York paper makes some damaging statements in regard to the "shepherds" in the United States army. One chaplain is reported to have "preached but twice ssnce he entered his regiment." Another took no notice of the privates, but "was very attentive to the officers." A third "played cards regularly every day," had preached but once and then to a little squad, a portion of whom played cards during the service." Many of the soldiers seemed astonished when they were informed, on a certain occasion, that it was Sunday—remarking that they did not know they ever had any Sundays in their regiment.

☞ Night brings out stars as sorrow shows us truths. We can never see the stars till we can see little or naught else—and thus it is with truth.

[From the London Times, July 18]

Rumored Capitulation of Gen. McClellan

Yesterday morning the following telegram was posted at Lloyd's:

QUEENSTOWN, July 17.

Reported by the Glasgow, screw steamer, July 5. Private news, by letter received two hours before sailing, which your agents believe to be reliable from the source whence it is obtained.

McClellan got on board the Galena gunboat after having proposed conditional surrender, which the others refused, declining any capitulation.

Generals Lee and Jackson in rear of Federals. Price, opposite to Lee, refused any terms. Goodman and Niel (Federals) arrived wounded at Fortress Monroe. They report McCall and Reynolds in thr hands of the Confederates.

Later in the day the *Times* published a third edition, with the following despatch received from their "agent at Cork":

CORK, July 18.

The Glasgow has arrived. Her departure was delayed for an hour to receive a telegraphic despatch from Baltimore, dated 3d of July:

BALTIMORE, July 3.

A communication from Fortress Monroe, of the 2d inst., states that Generals Gorman and Meade had arrived there wounded.

They state that the divisions of Gen. McCall and Gen. Reynolds have surrendered to the Confederate forces.

Gen. McClellan was on board the Galena.

Gen. Jackson was in the rear of the Federal army, and Price in front of it.

Gen. Lee refuses, on the part of the Confederates, to grant any terms of capitulation, and demands from the Federal troops an unconditional surrender.

These details are given from the statement of the wounded General Gorman.

The Federal flags have been taken down from the newspaper offices in Baltimore.

The subjoined private telegram, per Glasgow steamer, was received in Liverpool yesterday:

NEW YORK, July 5.

Federal army in full retreat from before Richmond. McClellan had offered to capitulate, but General Beauregard had refused anything but unconditional surrender. McClellan had taken refuge on board the Galena. Confederate Generals Price and Lee were between Federals and Fortress Monroe. Several Federal generals killed and taken prisoners."

DOMESTIC SERVICE.—We are reminded here of a good-hearted housemaid in a clergyman's family, whose eyesight was in danger before she let anybody know her troubles. She valued her "religious privileges," and bore with much for their sake; and as often as she believed she had made up her mind to leave her place, her master's discourse to her on the trials of life, and descriptions of the beauty of patience upset her resolution, and induced her to try again. She was expected to call the pupils (it was a school), at six, summer and winter, and to serve the warm water, light the fires, and serve the breakfast, and have the schoolroom swept and in order, besides washing and dressing the little children—her mistress thinking it quite hard enough work for herself to be ready when the bell rang for prayers. All day the young woman was at work, full drive, as she and the cook must have been in a household of that size and construction. When the last of the family went to bed, at eleven o'clock, she was set down to make her master's fine shirts, by a single candle in the kitchen, and she rarely went to bed before one or two, except on Sundays nights. When invited out to tea at holiday times, she was told that if she was not home before nine she would be locked out; and it was no empty threat. The only way to procure her a sociable evening was by offering her a bed. Moreover, she was not allowed to go out without her work-bag, in which was a pair of wrist-bands, or a shirt front, which she was to bring home finished. When asked why she put up with such treatment, she alleged her unwillingness to give up her "religious privileges," and to inconvenience an inexperienced mistress. The state of her eyes settled the matter at last, and her sight was barely saved by a costly abstinence from work and wages. The mistress has probably learned from experience something of what it was that she required. The family emigrated to a place where, if servants are to be had at all, they would certainly refuse to work both night and day, or at all more than suited their convenience.—*Edinburgh Review.*

PITTS' PROPOSAL.—Pitts is a fast man, a sharp man, and a man of business tact. When Pitts goes to make a purchase, he always gets the lowest cash price, and then says, "Well, I'll look about, and if I don't find anything that suits me better, I'll call and take this." Pitts, like all fast men, is partial to the ladies, young ones in particular. Now, lately, Pitts says to himself: "I'm getting rather along in years, and so I'll marry."

His business qualities wouldn't let him wait; so off he travels, calls upon a lady friend, and opens conversation by remarking that he would like to know what she thought about his getting married.

"Oh, Mr. Pitts, that is an affair in which I am not very greatly interested, and I prefer to leave it with yourself."

"But," says Pitts, "you are interested; and, my dear girl, will you marry me?"

The young lady blushed very red and hesitated; finally, as Pitts was very well to do in the world, she accepted him.

Whereupon the matter-of-fact Pitts responded:

"Well, I'll look about, and if I don't find anybody that suits me better, I'll come back."

A CHINESE "HAPPY DESPATCH."—Much has been said about the "happy despatch" among the Japanese. But the Chinese often despatch a poor wretch in a somewhat unhappy manner. A letter dated Shanghae, May 3d, states that the keeper of an eating house in that city, had a few days before charged a visitor with eating a quantity of rice not paid for, when an angry dispute arose. A mandarin was sent for who ordered the victim to be ripped open to ascertain whether he had swallowed the food. It was done and no rice found. A false charge had been made; and to put things right, according to the Chinese idea, the head of the accuser was quickly taken off, when the magistrate was ready for another job.

HEAD AND HEART.—When Sir Francis Burdett died, Lord Alvanley was so much moved that he burst into tears, and refused to see any one for a couple of days. At last he mustered courage to ask when the funeral would take place?

"Not till next week, my lord," was the reply; "the surgeons are first to dissect his head."

"What do they expect to get there?" said the disconsolate Alvanley; "I have known poor Frank's head these thirty years, and I could never find anything in it. Better look to his heart."

Ye can Conquer if Ye Will.

Rugged toiler—son of labor—
Stoutly battling every day
For existence—O, my brother,
Thou shalt triumph in the fray.
On life's changeful scene of action,
Though defeat may oft appear,
Thou shalt win the victor's laurels,
If thou wilt but persevere.

Though thou art obscure and lowly,
Ye may reach the wished for goal,
Grasp the prizes, wealth and station,
If thou hast a dauntless soul;
If thou has a resolution
That misfortune cannot shake;
One on which the angry surges
An impression fail to make.

Art thou sneered at and derided
By the self-styled lofty born?
Heed you not the fool's contumely,
Or the weak mind's harmless scorn.
Art thou friendless—friends will gather,
As do courtiers, king around,
When thou hast achieved distinction,
When thou hast position found.

Strong in faith, let naught repel thee,
Thou shalt in the end prevail;
In life's trials, and its battles,
None but dastard cowards fail.
Noble natures prove ascendant,
In earth's mighty contest rang,
To renown, from dark oblivion,
Robed in glory up they sprang.

What if years of fierce endeavor
Have been spent by thee in vain?
What if thou hast met with disaster?
Up and take the field again.
Wreck and ruins all about thee,
Give not up, but struggle still;
Stubborn courage is resistless,
Ye can conquer is ye will.

WASTING POWDER AND SHOT.—An infantry battalion close by was ordered by its Brigadier to form square, and in that formation fired volleys at the advancing Tartars. without, I believe, killing a man of them. Our old soldiers, untrained in all the minutiæ of position and judging distance drill, and armed with the much-abused old Brown Bess, could not certainly have done less damage. Upon more than one occasion during the war, the absurdity of imagining that an enemy can be destroyed by an infantry fire delivered at long ranges, or directed at troops not crowded together in formations, was made apparent to all, except, perhaps, a few unpractical men, whose judgment was biased by theories, and from whom no amount of actual illustration in the field could drive the opinions which they had formed upon the sands of Hythe. Upon one occasion I remember seeing a man get up from behind some cover where we had been concealed, about 20 yards from a line of our skirmishers, and get safely over a smooth open field, although fired at by every man of ours near him; some having reloaded and fired a second time at him.—*Narrative of the War with China.*

☞ At the sale of the Earl of Pembroke's wines some fine Bordeaux sold as high as fifteen francs, and some Champagne at twelve francs a bottle.

BIRTHS.

In this city, on the 4th instant, the wife of H. O. Tiedeman, Esq., of a son.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVED.

Sept 5—Barkentine W B Scranton, Cathcart, San Francisco
Sch Alberni, Henderson, Alberni
Sch Rambler, Graham, Port Townsend
Slp Mystery, Brown, Port Townsend
Sch Nanaimo Packet, Allen, Cowichan
Ship Iconium, Marston, San Francisco
Barkentine Ocean Bird, Hall, San Francisco

CLEARED.

Sept 5—Sch North Star, Jones, Port Townsend

IMPORTS.

Per bktine OCEAN BIRD—From San Francisco—Hibben & Co, 6 bdls paper; Marvin, 20 kgs nails 1 corn mill machine 10 bbls plaster 4 coils rope 304 yokes 1 bdl snathes 2 bxs nuts 1 bdl washers 2 cs hardware 1 do grindstone fixtures 1 bale hemp packing 1 bdl sieves 1 bdl safety fuse; Lanmiester, 2 bales hops; Drummond, 2 bdls grate frames 2 do fenders 2 do baskets 1 do castings, 1 cs brick 8 parlor grates 1 bbl fenders 6 bdls iron 2 cs mdse 3 pumps 1 roll lead pipe; Tai Soong & Co, 1 bx opium; Sporberg & Goldstone, 10 firs butter 800 qr sks flour 35 kegs syrup 25 gunny sack salt 1 cs mdse; Carlo Bossi, 1 csk hams 2 cs coffee 1 do dried beet 2 bales pepper 1 cs cheese 40 mats rice 1 bag garlic hf bag pearl barley 2 cs crockery 2 do mustard 140 hf sks flour 21 bags salt 1 cs paper hanging 2 bdls—24 kegs nails 2 wagons 2 pgs household goods; Vignolo & Co, 400 mats rice 20 bkts champagne 30 boxes tea 20 bales salt 300 gunnies flour 250 bags barley; Dodge & Co, 390 qr sks flour 493 bags ground barley; Henderson & Burnaby, 40 qr sks flour; Jungerman, 8 cs clocks 1 piano forte 1 stove; C A Bayley, 10 bxs soap; Harrison, 53 pgs provisions 2 iron sieves 160 qr sks flour; St Ours & Co, 800 qr sks flour 20 kegs butter 400 qr sks flour 100 do barley 125 fat sheep 25 hogs 4 cs glass ware 10 tons hay 12 cs furniture 72 chairs; Malatesta & Co, 34 pgs provisions; Curtin & Co, 5 bales gunnies 100 bxs candles; Holbrook, 100 qr sks flour; Cassamayo, 120 sks flour; G Mayer, 3 cs mdse; Van Bokelin, 1 bx; Alfred Fellows, 20 pgs hdware; Adam Watson, 18 bars iron; Lenevue & Co, 6 hf bbls 10 bxs 10 sks 100 qr do flour; Order, 3 pgs goods. Value $16,090.

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Esquimalt Election.
To the Electors of the Town of Esquimalt.
GENTLEMEN,—Having received from you a requisition most numerously and respectably signed requesting me "to allow myself to be put in nomination for Election to the office of Representative, now vacant," and in which you pledge yourselves to give me your support, I have, I assure you, great pleasure in coming forward as a Candidate for the seat now vacant.
The remaining part of the present session of the House of Assembly will be but of short duration; and if, as I have reason to hope from the very flattering terms of the requisition before me, my conduct, if elected to be your representative, shall give you satisfaction, I trust I may safely look forward for re-election at your hands.
The principles upon which I am willing to present myself for your suffrages are these:
Firstly—I should feel it my duty frequently to compare my views upon all public questions with my constituents, and more especially when any question might arise involving the interests of your town.
Secondly—I shall advocate economy in the public expenditure.
Thirdly—I shall use my best exertions to simplify and adapt legislative enactments to the exigencies of the time and the wants of a community so peculiarly circumstanced as our own.
Fourthly—I would advocate the negotiation of loans for the purpose of opening up our roads for the settlement of the colony, and would feel disposed to see such loans effected in London, and not at colonial rates of interest.
Fifthly—I would support any measure tending to improve the communication between Victoria and Esquimalt.
Sixthly—I consider a continuation of our Free Port to be the best means of advancing the interests of this colony, and hence I shall always support its maintenance.
Seventhly—I shall, if you do me the honor to elect me, go into the House of Assembly not as the nominee of any party, but shall give my hearty support to measures, no matter from what party they may emanate, which shall have for their object the development of the vast resources of our colony, the improvement of our present position, and every measure tending to the amelioration of the social condition of the people. In short, if elected, my particular attention will be directed to the advancement of the interests of the colony generally, and to those of my constituents in particular.
I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
WILLIAM COCKER.
Victoria, Sept. 3, 1862.

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CARD.

SIR:—In order to counteract a report which has been circulated, that I am not qualified for admission to the bar as an Attorney, I append an extract from a despatch from *His Grace the Duke of Newcastle*, to His Excellency Governor Douglas, in reply to my petition to Her Majesty the Queen, which was signed by upwards of 100 of the leading inhabitants of Victoria, upwards of 20 Writers to the Signet, and Solicitors, before the Supreme Courts of Scotland, the Members of Parliament for my native city, Edinburgh, and forwarded by the Lord Advocate, first law officer of the Crown for Scotland, and representative of the Scotch Bar in the House of Commons:

[Copy No. 85.]

DOWNING STREET, 7th February, 1862.

To GOVERNOR DOUGLAS, C. B.,

SIR:—I have received your despatch No. 74 of the 7th of December, 1861. * * *

MR. COPLAND HAS QUALIFIED HIMSELF BY STUDY IN SCOTLAND, FOR PRACTICE AS WRITER TO THE SIGNET. * * * *

I have, &c.,

(Signed) "NEWCASTLE."

I have further to add that upon my arrival here in December, 1859, I applied for admission to the Bar, producing at the same time my certificate of 5 years clerkship to James Duncan, Esq., Writer to the Signet, and also *Certificate of Examination by the Professor of Scotch Law in the University of Edinburgh.* In January, 1859, I sent my *first* Petition to Her Majesty, through this Government, (which document I believe never reached England, as I never heard of it afterwards.) In January, 1861, I sent a *second*, Petition, and in July, 1861, I forwarded a *third* Petition, in duplicate, that is, one copy through this Government, and the other through the influential parties above mentioned. The despatch of the 7th February has now been in these Government offices for upwards of *three* months, and, as my legal rights have not yet been accorded to me, it will shortly be my duty to make a *fourth* appeal to my Queen.

au7 JOHN COPLAND.

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Victoria, V. I., July 12, 1862. au15 eod

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Sherry, in cases and quarter casks;
Port, in cases and quarter casks;
OLD TOM, in puncheons;
Claret, in cases and hogsheads;
Sparkling Champagne, in cases, (quarts);
Do. do. do. pints and hf do.;
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"BOORD'S" Pale Orange Bitters, in doz. cases;
"ALLSOPP'S" and other Ales, in hogsheads;
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Best English Bacon and Hams;
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Crosse & Blackwell's Pickles;
" " Jams and Jellies;
White Wine Vinegar;
Salad Oil, in pints and hf pints;
Capucine Capers, in half pints;
Best London Mustard, in ½-lb bottles;
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Warranted Smiths' Bellows;
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Oval Pots and Japanned Covers;
Bellied Saucepans and best Covers;
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Patent Maslin Kettles;
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" Glue Kettles and Digesters;
PLANES—Jack, Smoothing, Bead, Match, Plough and Fillister;
Chisel and Brad Awl Handles;
Nye & Co.'s Mincing Machines;
" Patent Sausage Machines;
" Box Coffee Mills;
Horse Shoes;
Laysell's Coffee Urns;
B. M. Tea Pots and Coffee Pots;
Glass Paper, Nos. 1, 2 and 3;
Camp Ovens and Covers;
Grocers' and other Mills;
Bolts and Hinges;
FENDERS—Black and Bronzed;

HARDWARE—Continued.

FLAT WEIGHTS, in sets 4 lbs down;
CANDLESTICKS—Table and Chamber;
FIRE IRONS—Case-hardened, bright pans;
LOCKS—All descriptions;
Electro Plated Tea and Coffee Services;
" " Candlesticks;
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Ewbanks' Patent Nails;
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Best warranted Anvils;
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Hand, Panel and Ripping Saws;
Brass back and Compass Saws;
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Cross-cut Saws, 5½ feet long;
Tinned Frying Pans;
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Pewter Measures, half pints, pints and quarts;
Iron Stump Bedsteads, 6 by 3 feet;
Iron French do. 6 by 3 ft and 6 ft 6 in by 4 ft 6 in;
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Round-head Bolts, all sizes;
B and B. B. Butts, "
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FILES—Taper, Bastard, half round, round and square.
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TEA TRAYS, in large assortment.
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" Fancy Doe and Tweed Trowsers.
" High roll Vests.
" Drab Bedford Cord Trowsers.
" GREY SERGE SHIRTS.
" BLUE " "
" SCARLET " "
" LINSEY WOLSEY SHIRTS.

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Men's Demi Sack Coats.
" Millers' Moleskin Trowsers.
" Drab " "
Assorted Tweed Suits.
Black Cloth Frock Coats.
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SERGE JUMPERS.
American Pea Jackets.
Men's Bro. Cotton and Merino Shirts.
" Lambswool and Shetland do.
" Lambswool Merino Pants.
" Shetland Wool Trowsers.
" Bro. Cotton and Merino ditto.
" GREY LAMBSWOOL ½ HOSE.
" " KNIT WORSTED ditto.
" Fancy Worsted ditto.
Women's Fancy Worsted Hose.
Men's Buckskin Gloves.
Brown Turkish Towels.
Honey-comb and Linen ditto.
Men's White and Brown Cotton ½ Hose.
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WORSTED TABLE COVERS.
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PRINTS, FAST COLORS, yard wide.
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CANDLES, Balmoral, Sperm and Neva Stearine.
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TWINE, various kinds.
MODERATOR LAMPS, COLZA OIL, &c., &c.

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OFFICIAL NOTICES.

Notice to Owners of Real Estate

IN TERMS OF THE "REAL ESTATE Tax Act, 1860," FIVE PER CENT ADDITIONAL will be levied after the 11th instant on all payments into the Treasury under the Assessment for the year ending 1st June, 1862.

ALEXANDER WATSON, Treasurer.
Treasury, V. I., 4th September, 1862 se5

Trade Licenses Act, 1860.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Assessment Roll for the half year commencing 1ST JULY, 1862, was finally passed by the Revisors on the 25th instant, and that the amounts so assessed are required to be paid into the Treasury within ten days thereafter (4TH SEPTEMBER) failing which, the Sheriff is empowered by the Act to levy the same by distress.

ALEXANDER WATSON,
Treasurer.
Treasury, V. I., 30th August, 1862. se1

TOWN OF ESQUIMALT,
To WIT:

I, WILLIAM BROOKE NAYLOR, Sheriff of Vancouver Island and Returning Officer for the said Town of Esquimalt, do hereby give public notice that I shall proceed to the Election of Member to serve in Parliament for the said Town at twelve o'clock at noon on Monday, the eighth day of September, instant, at the said Town of Esquimalt, at which time and place all persons entitled to vote at the said election, are requested to give their attendance.

WM. BROOKE NAYLOR,
Sheriff of Vancouver Island.
Dated the Third day of September, A. D., 1862. se3

PROCLAMATION.

Vancouver Island.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
8th August, 1862.

THE GOVERNOR, WITH THE ADvice of the Council, directs it to be notified:

That, to any person or persons who shall first discover a profitable Gold Field within the Colony of Vancouver Island, and make known and describe to the Colonial Government the site and limits of the tract of land comprised in his or their discovery, there shall be paid the sum of One Thousand Pounds sterling (£1000), provided the monies received for Licenses issued for working the said tract of land be equal to that amount; and provided always that there shall have been proved to the satisfaction of the local Government, that there has been BONA FIDE raised and produced from the said tract or field, within Six Months of the issue of the said Licenses, an amount of Gold equal in value to not less than Ten Thousand Pounds (£10,000).

By His Excellency's Command.

WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

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Public Notice.

OFFICE OF LANDS AND WORKS,
12th August, 1862.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF ARRANGEments made between the Government and certain intended Settlers in the Districts of Shawnigan, Comiaken, Somenos, Quamichan and Cowichan, the whole of those Districts are hereby reserved until further notice.

No pre-emption in the above mentioned Districts will be registered in the Land Office until such further notice.

By Command of His Excellency the Governor.

J. DESPARD PEMBERTON,
au13 tf Surveyor General.

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Baths, - - - 50c.

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Victoria, August 22d, 1862. au23

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Terms per month for the above, from $3 to $5. Latin, Greek and French extra.

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FOR THOSE EMPLOYED DURING THE DAY.

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HOLDS CLASSES FOR ARITHMEtic, Mensuration, Writing, &c., every

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From 7 to 8½ o'clock,

At the Office lately occupied by Messrs. WALTON & BARNETT, in Commercial street, near Yates.

TERMS MODERATE.

Persons desirous of instruction in Spanish, Algebra, Geometry, Latin, etc., will please communicate with Mr. W.

N. B.—Mr. W. has resided two years in Peru.

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MESSRS JESSOP & CHISHOLM BEG to announce that they have resumed Evening Classes in the Central School, for giving instruction in an English, Mathematical and Commercial Education, together with Phonography, every MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY and FRIDAY evenings, from 7 to 9 o'clock.

TERMS.....$1 per Month.

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For giving instruction in VOCAL MUSIC, every Wednesday evening, at the same hours.

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Saturday morning, September 6, 1862.